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April 6, 1990

CERTIFIED MAIL NO. 948965382 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Richard Hilyard Box 139 Gunnison, Utah 84634

Dear Hr. Hilyard:

On April 3, 1990, a field compliance inspection was conducted on your mining notices, UT-058-10N and UT-058-45N, and surface disturbance related to mining activity on your claims, Grant #1 and #2 (UMC 263241 and 263242) in T. 21 S., R. 1 E., Section 10 has not been reclaimed. Federal Surface Management Regulations, 43 CFR 3809, require reclamation at the earliest feasible time when mining related operations have been suspended indefinitely or have been terminated. Failure to reclaim surface disturbance created by your mining related activities will result in a notice of noncompliance, and if appropriate, we will take necessary remedial actions against you.

New road construction, pits and other surface disturbance, addressed in your notice, have not been reclaimed. Also, mining related equipment has been left on the site. Reclamation must include recontouring and revegetating the site and removal of all mining related equipment. Also, a fence is constructed across the access road to your mining claims. This fence was not part of your mining notice and should be removed.

The Bureau's mining claim records indicate the Grant #1 and #2 mining claims were dropped in 1989. Your relinquishment of these mining claims does not release you from the regulatory requirement to reclaim the land encompassed by these former mining claims, as addressed in your mining notices.

Again, we remind you that if a mining claimant fails to comply with Federal regulations contained in 43 CFR 3809, a Notice of Noncompliance will be issued, followed by appropriate remedial action.

You should contact Doug Thurman in this office to discuss your reclamation plan.

Sincerely,

Area Manager

Enclosure:

Notices and Maps

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